

## Office of Personnel Management (OPM) Data Breach

A briefing for use by DON commanders and supervisory staff

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#### **Command Talking Points**

- In the spring of 2015, the Office of Personnel Management (OPM) became aware of unprecedented compromises to government employee personal data.
- While the full scope of the data breaches is unknown, at a minimum they impact current and former federal employees including Department of the Navy (DON) personnel.
- OPM, DHS, and the FBI are continuing to investigate the extent of these intrusions.
   We fully expect the list of affected employees to grow as a result of this investigation. It may include a significant number of current and former military members and their families.
- While the spectrum of risk to affected individuals is also unknown, it is reasonable to assume it includes identify theft at a minimum.
- The DON recognizes the seriousness of these breaches and will provide you access to timely and accurate information as it becomes available at <a href="http://www.secnav.navy.mil/OPMBreachDON">http://www.secnav.navy.mil/OPMBreachDON</a>.
- Service Members, Civilians, Contractors and to be proactive, pay attention and remain vigilant. Report any suspicious activity to your chain of command.

#### **Background**

- OPM believes the **first intrusion** into its systems occurred in December 2014, and became aware of the incident in April 2015. OPM then became aware of a **second intrusion** into its systems in May 2015.
- OPM estimates that at a minimum, these breaches affect millions of current and former government employees. Since investigations are ongoing, additional Personally Identifiable Information (PII) exposures will likely come to light. If OPM determines that more individuals have been impacted, they will conduct additional notifications.
- OPM maintains personnel records for the federal workforce. The kind
  of data that may have been compromised in these incidents is
  sensitive. Compromised data may include information within
  background investigations, job assignments, training records and
  benefit selection decisions. At a minimum, this could include: name,
  Social Security Number, date and place of birth, and current and former
  addresses.

# Notification Process for Incident #1 Affected Civilian Employees

- Email from <u>OPMcio@csid.com</u> for all current employees.
  - Be sure to check Junk folders.
- US Mail for invalid email addresses and retirees.
- Automatically enrolled for 18 months of free identity theft insurance up to \$1M from CSID.
- Voluntary sign up with PIN (PIN provided in notification email/letter) for additional free credit monitoring services for 18 months.

Similar notifications are expected for Incident # 2 affected individuals as they are identified.

### Table of Resources Potentially Affected Individuals

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Resource	Contact Info	Provides
CSID® Credit Monitoring Service	www.csid.com/opm/ U.S. toll free: 844-777-2743 International call collect: 512-327- 0700	Assistance with signing up for CSID credit monitoring services for affected individuals.
Department of Navy FAQ E-mail	DONhrFAQ@navy.mil	Answers to data breach related questions.
Department of the Navy Civilian Employee Assistance Program (DONCEAP)	www.DONCEAP.foh.hhs.gov Toll free: 1-844-DONCEAP (1-844- 366- 2327) TTY: 1-888-262-7848 International: 001-866-829-0270	Support for financial issues and identity theft for all DON civilians and their families.
Federal Trade Commission (FTC) Complaint Submission	www.ftccomplaintassistant.gov Toll free: 1-877-ID-THEFT (438-4338)	A clearinghouse for complaints by victims of identity theft.
Federal Trade Commission (FTC) Identity Theft Recovery Plan	Downloadable PDF: www.identitytheft.gov	A step by step guide on what to do if your identity information has been stolen.
Free Credit Report Review	www.AnnualCreditReport.com Call: 1-877-322-8228	One free credit report per year from each of the three major crediting bureaus (contact information for credit bureaus can be found on the Federal Trade Commission website: www.ftc.gov).
Guide to Keeping Your Social Media Accounts Secure	www.doncio.navy.mil/ContentView.a spx?id=5950	Safety guidelines and tips to keeping your personal information safe while using social media.
Internal Revenue Service (IRS)	http://www.irs.gov/Help-&-Resources Toll free: 1-800- 908-4490	Guidance on what to do if you suspect the improper use of identification information in connection with tax violations.
Phishing Reports	NMCS_SPAM@navy.mil	Resource to report phishing attempts.
Social Security Administration	www.socialsecurity.gov/kc/id_resour ces.htm	Guidance on what to do if you suspect your Social Security number is being fraudulently used.
	Toll free: 1-800-269-0271	Placing fraud alert on your credit file to let